(SRI KADIDAL MANJAPPA.)

the amendment moved by Sri R. Anantaraman.

Mr. SPEAKER.—The question is :

"That in Clause 2, the words "and shall always be deemed to have been omitted" shall be deleted."

The motion was adopted.

Mr. SPEAKER.—The question is :

"That Clause 2, as amended, stand part of the Bill."

The motion was adopted.

Clause 2, as amended, was added to the Bill.

Mr. SPEAKER.—Clause 1. The question is :

"That Clause 1 stand part of the Bill."

The motion was adopted.

Clause 1 was added to the Bill.

Mr. SPEAKER.—Title and Preamble. The question is :

"That the Title and Preamble stand part of the Bill."

The motion was adopted.

The Title and the Preamble were added to the Bill.

Motion to pass.

Sri KADIDAL MANJAPPA.—Sir, I beg to move :

"That the Mysore Stamp (Amendment) Bill, 1953, as amended, be passed."

Mr. SPEAKER.—The question is :

"That the Mysore Stamp (Amendment) Bill, 1953, as amended, be passed."

The motion was adopted.

MYSORE ALIENATED VILLAGES (PREVENTION OF TENANTS AND MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS) (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1953.

Motion to consider.

Sri KADIDAL MANJAPPA (Minister for Revenue and Public Works).—Sir, I beg to move :

"That the Mysore Alienated Villages (Prevention of Tenants and Miscellaneous Provisions) (Amendment) Bill, 1953, be taken into consideration."

Sir, it is a simple measure. Hon'ble Members are very well aware of the fact that in 1950, a Bill was passed in this House which gave certain rights and securities of tenure to the tenants cultivating the inam lands. Under Section 1, Clause (3), the Act was in force up to 31st December 1952. As the Legislature was not in Session, an Ordinance had to be promulgated and the Ordinance has been laid on the Table of the House. With the object of further extending the period of the Act for another year, the amending Bill has been brought forward. Only two or three days ago, I have introduced the Bill which provides for the abolition of Inams. Perhaps, it may take some months before the Bill is passed, unless the House decides that it should be passed in this Session itself. Therefore, as a matter of protection, the amending Bill is brought before the House, so that the Bill may be in force for another year.

Mr. SPEAKER.—The question is :

"That the Mysore Alienated Villages (Prevention of Tenants and Miscellaneous Provisions) (Amendment) Bill, 1953, be taken into consideration."

The motion was adopted.

Mr. SPEAKER.—Clause 2 and 3. The question is :

"That Clauses 2 and 3 stand part of the Bill."

The motion was adopted.

Clauses 2 and 3 were added to the Bill.

Mr. SPEAKER.—Clause 1. The question is :

"That Clause 1 stand part of the Bill."

The motion was adopted.

Clause 1 was added to the Bill.

Mr. SPEAKER.—Title and Preamble. The question is :

"That the Title and the Preamble stand part of the Bill."

The motion was adopted.

The Title and the Preamble were added to the Bill.

Motion to pass.

Sri KADIDAL MANJAPPA—Sir, I beg to move :

"That the Mysore Alienated Villages (Prevention of Tenants and Miscellaneous Provisions) (Amendment) Bill, 1953, be passed."

Mr. SPEAKER.—The question is :

"That the Mysore Alienated Villages (Prevention of Tenants and Miscellaneous Provisions) (Amendment) Bill, 1953, be passed."

The motion was adopted.

MYSORE AGRICULTURISTS' RELIEF (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1953.

Motion to consider.

Sri KADIDAL MANJAPPA (Minister for Revenue and Public Works).—Sir, I beg to move :

"That the Mysore Agriculturists' Relief (Amendment) Bill, 1953, be taken into consideration."

This is also a very simple measure. Under the Mysore Agriculturists' Relief Act which was enacted in 1928, it was defined that an agriculturist "shall be taken to mean a person who ordinarily engages in agriculture in the area to which this Regulation applies for the time being, provided that his yearly income from sources other than agriculture does not exceed Rs. 500, and that his aggregate income from all sources does not exceed Rs. 1,000." So, under this Act of 1928, to claim the privilege of an agriculturist, a person's income must not exceed one thousand rupees including his income from sources other than agriculture. As I have already submitted, this Act was passed in the year 1928. It was a slump period. Of late, the prices have increased and the agriculturists are not getting the benefit of this Act. Further, the total income is taken into calculation without considering the expenditure he incurs for cultivating lands, and therefore Government thought that the agriculturists should be given relief by amending the Act. With this object in view, the amending Bill has been brought forward.

Mr. SPEAKER.—Motion moved :

"That the Mysore Agriculturists' Relief (Amendment) Bill, 1953, be taken into consideration.

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Sri M. LINGANNA (Nanjangud).—I want to know whether the Mysore Limitation Act can remain in operation and for how long. That point is not clarified. I think it will expire today and from tomorrow the Limitation Act of the Central Government will come into force and in that case there will be some legal difficulty.

Sri KADIDAL MANJAPPA.—That we will consider.

Mr. SPEAKER.—This does not refer to limitation. This only refers to income.

Sri KADIDAL MANJAPPA.—There is the question of limitation because the period of limitation is extended in cases filed by agriculturists.

Sri M. LINGANNA.—May I know whether the Hon'ble Minister has understood me ?

Mr. SPEAKER.—He has understood the Hon'ble Member. There